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Ottawa Letter

The speech from the Throne promised many things that appealed to all members of the House. A note was made that an address be presented to his Excellency thanking him for his speech. It is likely that all parties will agree to this, although, usually, a long debate takes place. Mr. King spoke first. He spoke of the success the Liberals had had in the by-elections, reviewed the records of his party regarding Old Age Pensions and other social legislation since he published his book on Industry and Humanity, eighteen years ago. He said he would not oppose any of these reform measures and offered to do all he could to hurry proceedings and limit talk so that these bills dealing with Unemployment Insurance, pensions and etc. which Mr. Bennett had promised over the radio could pass the House and the Senate at once. He hoped there would be no delay on account of Constitutional difficulties.

Mr. Bennett replied at length. He explained that the program was not for vote getting but was the farthest unifying of his plan. He pointed out that a Reciprocity Treaty was being arranged with the U. S. A. and indicated that the details would be made known in a very short time. The people of the West will hope to see the American duty removed on our cattle going to the States. The strong defended the principle agreements stating that they had saved Canada. He also seemed to indicate that there would be no general election until next fall, although, of course, no definite announcement was made.

Several other members spoke in favor of making changes in the money system, the tariff structure and etc. but there is evidence so far at least a spirit of good will and a desire by all to get behind any sincere effort to reform the capitalistic system.

On Thursday the debate on the address ended and health problems occupied the time of the members. There is a strong feeling that the very best medical care should be available for every person in Canada. It was pointed out that the very

rich and the very poor could now get this but that the great middle class did not wish to accept this as charity and could not pay the high fees charged. State medicine is certainly coming soon.

Sincerely, F. W. Gershaw.

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W. R. HOWSON, LEADER OF PRO. LIBERAL PARTY FOR ALBERTA

Legislature Opens February 7
The Provincial Liberal Party had drawn up an excellent platform, comprising the following points, on which they will base their legislation when returned to power. It is a most comprehensive program and seems to cover all points for the establishment of a new and beneficial government for our Province.

The various planks are: 1—Agriculture; 2—Relief of the Taxpayer; 3—Protection of the Home; 4—Public Health Service; 5—Education; 6—Ex-servicemen and their Dependents; 7—Unemployment; 8—Industry and Labor; 9—Alberta Telephones; 10—Provincial Finance; 11—Legal Reform; 12—General Administration; 13—General Development of Alberta; 14—Social Credit; 15—Monetary Reform; 16—Traffic and Markets.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH

The Parishoners of St. Michael's met in the Dining Room of the Memorial Hall in their postponed meeting on Thursday 24th, January to participate of the feast of good things provided by the ladies of the guild and to hear Reports. Mr. Winter introduced Canon Dale of St. John's Church, Calgary, who had come down to conduct a guild day in the church in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the consecration of the church. The W. A. of the Missionary Society of the Church of England in Canada; and then proceeded to report for the past year.

Mr. Ridley, in his capacity of People's Warden for the year 1934, presented the financial report showing receipts of \$1225.14, and disbursements of \$1225.11, with an added receipt of \$95.27 from Dominion and Duceaux W. A. for the purpose of reconstruction and decoration of the Church building; with all liabilities met with the exception of a special collection not remitted, and a small balance on financial account.

Mr. Wright reported the financial report of the Guild showing a most successful year in which a large proportion of the Minister's Stipend had been raised, and contributions made to the Sunday School and other worth while institutions.

Mr. J. A. French read the Sunday School report with all liabilities met and a small balance carried forward, at the same time tendering her resignation as superintendent. The latter drew forth expressions of regret from the Vicar and all concerned.

The meeting then proceeded to elect Mr. N. Ridley as people's Church Warden. The Vicar having announced that he was unable to attend, he was elected by acclamation to occupy the post of Rector's Warden for 1935. Election of Vestrymen and Lay Delegates to Synod was then completed. Congratulations of thanks and the singing of "O Canada" brought the meeting to an end.

The St. Michael and All Angels Guild had exactly allocated their ration to the goodly number present and were cheered by the attendance of many from the more rural areas who braved the battle and the breeze to take their part in the annual gathering of Parliament of the Parish of St. Michael and All Angels Church, Strathmore.

MAPLE LEAVES



The accompanying cut which we are indebted to Mr. D. McMurtry of Strathmore shows the giant maple leaf which won the prize for the largest leaf in the recent Exhibit. The leaves attracted much attention when shown in Calgary recently, the coloring being typically lovely. The G.R. and C.N.R. combined in this contest.

Ten thousand leaves were exhibited. It grows the largest while the east produces the most beautiful. The largest leaf measured 2 ft across and 28 1/2 square inches by actual measurement. Mr. H. Chambers of Vancouver climbed 40 ft up a tree to secure this giant leaf.

ANNUAL MEETING

Friday last the annual meeting of the railwaymen of the Town of Strathmore was held, with not all the Councilors present and no other reporters.

Tuesday evening the annual meeting of the School Board was held with a full attendance of Board members present, but only one other reporter.

We can only conclude that our citizens are satisfied with the rulings given by these two bodies, else they should have been present to register their disapproval. Nomination Day is set for Monday next at 11 a.m.

THE TAR SANDS

Interest in the development of the northern Alberta tar sands has been stimulated this year by the experiments in extraction being conducted at Toronto by Max Ball, who is endeavouring to establish a simple and efficient method of separation of the bitumen from the sands. These experiments have advanced to the final stage and have been witnessed by a large number of experts and others, who believe that Mr. Ball has found our solution to the problem that should lead to extensive development of the tar sands in the future.

Local News Items

The first in a series of bridge parties will be held at the home of Mrs. T. S. Hughes Wednesday Feb. 6. Play to start at 2 sharp.

The Ladies Aid will meet next Thursday Feb. 7th, at Mrs. Mieson's.

About thirty of Carleton's young people accepted the invitation of the local Y. M. C. to a social evening held in the Memorial hall Tuesday evening. Various contests, games and a Mock Trial interspersed by dancing provided a most interesting evening. The Mock Trial in which Dr. Giffen was accused of alienating the affection of Alice Garrett's wife (Ernie Wright) was very amusing. The prosecuting Attorney was Bertha Grey and Andrew Garrett was the lawyer for the defence. Hon. Nichol clerk of Court and Harold Louisa Judge. The verdict of the jury has not been handed down at time of going to press.

An elimination dance, the prize for which was won by Earl Bergquist and Miss Maud Morrison and Mrs. R. E. Hoover winning the "get acquainted" contest, were added attractions. Music for dancing was furnished by the Strathmore orchestra who were accorded many pretty compliments. Delicious refreshments completed a very enjoyable evening.

The Poem—"The Play of Life on another page is not dedicated to Mrs. Haynes, but somewhat apropos of her visit and lecture on the Play, Playing and the Drama.

Mrs. Scott and Miss Leasingham Short of Calgary will contribute the Musical Program Thursday evening at the Dramatic Lecture by Mrs. Haynes.

Faithful and heroic in face of grave danger and difficulties undeterred the crews clearing the snow slides, received generous praise from Vice-Pres. W. H. Neal of Western Lines.

The funeral of Mrs. Kelly mother of Mr. Van Tighem, took place in Calgary from Sacred Heart Church, at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

THE ROTHESAY EXPRESS SAYS

But the folk who want an old fashioned winter say that. As it is, the wind has gone round to the north, the sky has cleared, and the temperature dropped, so that coats, cutters, skaters, overcoats, vendors and so forth may yet be happy. As the day lengthens the cold strengthens the old saw says.

These folk should have been satisfied plenty, had they been in Alberta during the past few weeks. Here hoping our winds may be the chinooks from the West. Strathmen may have their north winds.

SPORT NOTES

RED WINGS TRIM BANFF 1-0
LOSS TO CANNORE MINERS

On the Red Wings trip to the mountains last week they defeated Banff in a 1-0 overtime game and lost to Cannore on Sat night when the Miners scored a 4-0 shut out, preventing the Wings from gaining their third successive victory.

The game at Banff was a hard fought encounter and there was no score at the end of the third period, forcing an overtime in which Dick Colleson scored the tally for the Wings shortly after the overtime period opened.

RED WINGS BOW TO JUNIORS
IN FAST GAME ON TUE. NIGHT

On Tuesday night some good luck for the Red Wings was in store. The crowd at the local arena when the Strathmore Juniors outscored the Wings in a 5 to 0 contest.

Although the Wings were not showing their best form the Juniors forced most of the play and Cleve had a busy time in the Wings goal as the score indicated. W. Ridley put in a good performance on the Juniors defence. F. Ridley being prominent on the forward line. Johnny Prewett, the Juniors goalie had a great night in front of the nets and claims the Wings goals were all flukes while Cleve admits not having a chance to save on the scores of the Juniors.

ANNUAL MEETING

UNITED CHURCH

On Thursday evening January 24th the annual congregational meeting of the United Church was held in the basement of the church. At 7 p.m. about thirty of the Strathmore congregation sat down to an delightful turkey dinner as guests of the Ladies Aid. There was general regret that the outside parties were not represented due to impassable roads.

After the sumptuous repast the meeting was called to order by the Chairman Rev. Brundage. The minutes of the Last Annual Meeting were read and approved. The work for the year was then reviewed and the business transacted as follows.

The report for the Sunday School was presented by the Treasurer Bobbie Brown. Increases were noted in the several departments and the total receipts for the year standing at \$2112.26 with \$207.56 going to the Missionary fund.

Following the report Mr. Marsh the Superintendent spoke in the interests of this most important branch of our church activity and received a very hearty expression of good will for his much appreciated labors.

Mr. Nichol's report as treasurer of the Ladies' Aid was next presented. This showed a surplus for the year amounting to \$286.40 which \$250 was paid to the church board. With this consideration the interior of the church had been redecorated and numerous other responsibilities carried for.

Mr. Frank Jones as president very fittingly replied to the expression of appreciation voiced for the ladies.

The Y. P. S. report presented by Bonnie Graham, the G. O. T. report by Frances Jones, and the Junior G. O. T. report by Annie McGregor all showed the usual interesting activities with ledger work for the year right side. Much credit is due the leaders Florence and Alice Garrett and Bernice Whitehead for the successful work among the girls.

The report of the church board presented by the treasurer D. A. Perry showed receipts for the year totalling \$4747.84. True to his usual style everything was found in perfect shape with all bills paid and all books properly balanced.

The report of the Missionary and Maintenance Fund was given by the Treasurer Mrs. T. H. Mieson. A total of \$1212.26 was reported for the fund of which the Sunday School had provided \$207.56. The increase over last year was very gratifying and due largely to the "O Canada" force in a number of faithful homes.

After the adoption of the various reports the guest speaker Rev. H. D. Marr of Calgary was introduced by the chairman. After paying the way with his ready wit and humor he spoke very impressively of the "Unique Function of the Church" using the following headings:

- 1 The church affords an opportunity for worshipping God.
- 2 The church is primarily interested in teaching Religion.
- 3 The church is attempting the reclamation of sinners.
- 4 The church unites all classes of society in a common fellowship.

Hearty votes of thanks were tendered to Mr. Marr and the Ladies for their excellent services. The Pastor's resignation was then placed before the gathering. As the former retired the chair was occupied by the Strathmore Chairman Mr. H. Miller. After considerable open discussion the matter was left for further consideration by the congregation at a later date.

Adjourning followed.

In preparation of the next item ballots are to be placed in Mr. Walter Store Nankana; Mr. W. H. Wade's Store Cheadle and Mr. H. McGregor's Hardware Strathmore for the purpose of learning the feeling of the congregations. These votes must all be cast on or before February 15th next.

CANADA—1935

The official Handbook of Canada, her resources etc. packed from cover to cover with interesting information and illustrations is just off the press. It is published by authority of R. B. Hanson K.C.P.M.—Minister of Trade and Commerce. Retail for 25c. or to Ministers, Students or Teachers for 10 cents.

THE WEEKLIES' CONVENTION

Some sixty publishers of Alberta

Weekly papers met in convention on Friday and Saturday last in the Palais Hotel and thoroughly enjoyed the social reunion and the helpful and instructive addresses given.

In the words of a veteran publisher it was one of the best conventions he had held by the A. W. N. A. much credit for which is due the untiring efforts of Secretary H. G. McCrean, ably assisted by President Duncan of the Craig & Canyon.

One of the able addresses which was of general interest to all, not alone to publishers but to the public, was given by Fred O. S. Amundt of the U. of A. He dealt very minutely with plant life, root and soil and moisture on conditions and urged that growers till the grain that is sown to the soil of the district and grow that, not attempt the impossible of seeding a crop that needs a lot of moisture on a shallow soil. He further urged the growing of flax instead of our having to import these products of flaxseed oil, meal, etc.

It was on J. R. Love, Prof. Treva was an interesting after dinner speaker at the excellent banquet tendered by Barber & Ellis and The Mid-west Paper Co. Mr. Love does not live the finances of the Province are in a hopeless condition.

At a delightful luncheon at which the Grain and Milling Co. of Winnipeg were hosts Mr. Campbell of Ottawa, Parks Dept stressed the as yet unrecognized value to Canada of her National Parks. Messrs Lamont, Munson, McCrean and Clark stressed the value of co-operation between the Grain Companies, Elevator men, farmers and Weekly publishers. The convenience of a family elevator, the farmer is so evident that he who runs may read. Mr. Nalder of the Toronto type Foundry Co. arranged theatre parties for the pleasure of the ladies.

Mr. Bartlett of Blairmore Enterprise suffering from rheumatism was unable to attend. He was however ably represented by his "better half." We hope for Editor Bartlett a complete and speedy recovery as also for Mr. Bill Thompson of the Mid-West Co.

CURLING PHILOSOPHY

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Inside the clubhouse at the rink

Are benches in a row,

Where fellows sit to watch the games.

While wreaths of smoke they blow:

And if you really want to know

The fine points of the play,

Don't shoot your rocks, just stay in line

And listen what they say.

So light your pipe and take a seat

Where it is warm and nice,

Where better games are always curdled

Than out upon the ice.

For soon you'll hear, He's narrow

Here

He's coming down too hard

No, No,—don't sweep—just let it go,

He's going to get the guard.

Say! Watch that guy, the twists he

makes

In his deliveries—

He'll throw himself into a knot

If he should draw the rock.

He's wide—here's slow—let it hog;

He never got the miss.

There's no excuse to blame that shot.

He sure had lots of room.

Now what's he playing that shot for?

What can he be about?

He ought to have a running shot

And take that rock right off!

He'll never get it with that ice—

Well! look at what he struck,

He got it after all but then

He had a lotta luck.

But when these men are called to play

They cutters skilled and wise

They make the very same mistakes

As those they critic.

The other fellows' but little skill

To dissipate advice,

And play a scientific game

When they are off the ice.

So as we pass along life's way,

And as we hear men talk,

We're always skilful when we throw

The other fellows' talk.

This disposition is not strange,

Through life it's much the same

We're always wisest when we skip

The other fellows' game.



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ROCKYFORD

On Friday afternoon Rockyford United Church was filled to capacity with those who came to pay their last tributes to one who was held in high esteem.

Rev. V. M. Gilbert assisted by Rev. H. C. Woods officiated at the Church both speaking very highly of our departed friend. The Masonic Lodge officiated at the graveside, interment was in the Rockyford cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Drake are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, the event taking place at the Holy Cross Hospital in Calgary on Saturday Jan. 27th.

The Junior hockey team were defeated by the Gleichen Indian boys last Saturday, the score being 4-0. Rockyford boys put up a good game but were unable to make a score, they are hoping that when they play the return game at Gleichen next Saturday will be the victors.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Birt entertained on Monday evening at a young peoples party in honor of their son, Harvey who celebrated his 21st birthday.

NIGHTINGALE

The dance held last Tuesday was well attended considering weather and roads. All who were present report a splendid time.

A pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. Wm. Joel when the Institute held its meeting there on January 10th.

Mrs. A. I. Dewar went to Edmonton last Wednesday where she will enjoy a visit with A. I. who is attending the University.

The hockey boys are busy hustling for their big dance on February 1st. Everyone will be there and the boys will not lack in doing their best. James May's orchestra will furnish the music.

Jack Coops and Frank Harriman went to Calgary Monday. Frank Biscare and Harley Harriman went last week and were storm bound.

Reg Gladden went to Edmonton on Friday. He was on the wrecked train but was lucky enough to escape injury.

ARDENODE

The Junior U.F.A. met at the home of Miss Marjorie Dawson Saturday night last. The lecture of officers for the coming year was the first business to hand. Mr. L. W. Aspin was elected president. Harry Dawson vice president. Miss Marjorie Dawson secretary. Miss Vera Sarason auditor. Mrs. G. Dawson kindly consented to act as supervisor. Other business was attended to. A skit dance is being arranged for Feb. 8th weather permitting. Business being completed a dainty lunch was served by the hostess which brought the evening to a close.

Mr. Ben Plester spent Thursday last in the city.

Mr. E. C. Chandler also Mr. D. S. Brook spent Tuesday last in Calgary.

The weather man has behaved most remarkably well for a few days. It all helps to bring spring a shade further round the corner.

Cutting ice in this district is the order for these warm days, at least so says two of our local fellows who—glad it only happens once a year.

We are glad to report Mr. G. Dawson is feeling much better and is able to be around again.

Mr. Wm. Knott is slightly under the weather but hope to see him around pretty soon again.

CROWFOOT

The smile reaching from ear to ear that is seen on the face of every passerby these days is due to the very welcome change in the weather.

The Bible Society met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. and Fred Harvey on Thursday of last week. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostesses. Owing to the very cold weather and bad roads the attendance was not quite as good as usual. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Scher on Thursday February 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Howe Harvey of Calgary were week end visitors at the Harvey ranch.

We are happy to report that Mrs. Nilsen is feeling very much better after several days of illness.

The kind thoughts and well wishes of the neighborhood go out to Mr. Weyers during these days of his illness.

The Harvey-Scheer Ice Co. Ltd. started operations on Monday, at the McMillan Lake. They expect to be at work several weeks owing to the vast amount of ice to be cut and delivered.

NAMAKA

Mr. and Mrs. Mackie and family spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mackie, Sr. of Arrowwood.

Tom Watts returned Monday after spending several days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Thomson of Gleichen.

The annual school meeting was held Saturday afternoon with an attendance of 15. Mr. Pawkes term having expired as Trustee he was again elected to office by acclamation.

The hockey game played Tuesday between Namaka Seniors and Edwood resulted in a score of 3 to 2 in favor of Namaka.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. E. C. Wille on the second Thursday in February.

A number of our hockey enthusiasts went to Calgary Tuesday to see the game played between the Gleichen Gunners and Garbutt.

NAMAKA FARM

Last Friday a two day Bible Discussion Conference ended in the M. B. Church. This was the beginning of a series of conferences that will be held at Crowfoot, Glen, Coaness and Rosemary. Rev. A. P. Wills left Friday night to take part in all these gatherings.

Rev. A. A. Towes and Rev. H. H. Williams recently returned from a three week tour of Bible Discussion Conferences in the Southern part of the Province. Coaldale, Vauxhall, Spring Ridge and Grassy Lake were the points visited.

We all join to express our best wishes and congratulations to Henry Thiesen who was recently engaged to Miss Penner of Grassy Lake.

Our School Fair, is gathering more friends as the months go by. This school publication is looked forward to in many of our homes.

The adult night school classes directed by C. Epp will continue during the month of February. Steve Parsons action man at Strangmair recently enrolled.



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From whence we came,
No legend of the playwright's hand,
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Of those who for the piece were cast
On that first night
When God drew up his curtain vast,
And there was light.

Before our eyes as we come on
From age to age
Flare up the footlights of the dawn
In this round stage.
In front, unknown, beyond the glare
Vague shadows loom:
And sounds like muttering winds are
There
Foreboding doom.
Yet wistfully we keep the boards:
And as we mend
The blundering, forgotten words,
Hope to the end. —Bilas Carmen.

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ACTIVITIES FOR AND ADVICE TO YOUTH

It was significant that at the recent Convention of the Alberta Weekly Publishers held in the Palliser hotel two of the addressed addresses by men whose whitening hair indicated the passing of the years were made in behalf of and advice to the youth of our land.

During the interesting address of the Prov. Treas. Hon. J. H. Love the other speakers dealt with matters of interest to the men of the Fourth Estate more particularly, and contained many helpful suggestions and food for action and reflection. In the address given alluded to the first was an impassioned appeal made by Col. J. H. Woods of the Calgary Herald, in behalf of the Boy Scout Movement. This Movement along with the Girl Guides and C. G. I. Y. are among the most worthy, most necessary and most far reaching in their influence upon the future men and women of Canada.

Mr. Woods deplored the fact that there are in Alberta 160 towns where there is no Scout Troop. There are 6500 Scouts in Alberta or 170 troops of which number 120 troops are situated in rural areas. The Governor Gen. gave the challenge to organize 100,000 scouts and secure \$500,000 of which Alberta is to raise \$25,000 over a 5 year period. Your assistance can be given toward an no better cause. Dean Howes of the University of Alberta who in relating some of his earlier experiences showed that his walk had not always been on mossy banks or in rose strewn paths threw out the challenge to youth to have an aim and persevere to the limit in their work, and above all to not adopt an attitude of indifference or laissez faire nor to feel sorry for themselves. When a people adopts that attitude their case is hopeless and progress is impossible. The speaker urged all to be students of history, saying that they were the normal of the past were always fearful of the future.

ALBERTA POULTRY

Whether or not the poultry industry of Alberta will come within the provisions of the Natural Products Marketing Act is to be determined by a vote of Poultry Producers. Building on the proposed Alberta Poultry Marketing Plan will be held during the week of Feb. 17. All producers having flocks of 25 birds or more, including hens, turkeys, ducks and geese are urged by Alberta Poultry Market Board to register their opinions regarding this plan by applying to their nearest post office for the necessary forms.

These forms should be filled out in accordance with the directions given with the same and mailed to the provincial returning officer in the envelope supplied. The ballots must be mailed by producers not later than February 22nd. In order to be considered.

Poultry Producers are also urged to await a series of radio broadcasts to be shortly announced and to be given over an Alberta network regarding the purposes and details of the Alberta Poultry Marketing Plan, and to attend meetings now being arranged in all districts of Alberta at which the marketing plan will be fully explained, before making definite decisions regarding the marketing of their flocks.

CRESTED WHEAT GRASS SEED PRODUCTION

Few of our cultivated perennial grasses produce seed so abundantly as does crested wheat grass. At the Dominion Forage Crops Laboratory Saskatoon, yields as high as 500 lbs. of seed per acre have been recorded from seedlings made in rows spaced 1 foot apart. Yields of from 300 to 500 pounds of clean seed per acre is quite common.

To growing of this crop for seed production presents no special difficulties. As with other crops a year of seed and consequently the return obtained depend primarily on the ability of the grower to obtain a satisfactory stand. The conditions of the seed-bed and method, time and depth of seeding are the chief factors upon which the grower must focus his attention.

SOIL DRIFTING COMMITTEE

For the purpose of studying the problems of soil drifting and making what recommendation they feel necessary to the provincial government for meeting the problem, a special committee has been named by Hon. F. S. Grisdale, minister of agriculture, who announced the personnel on Tuesday.

The committee will include O. S. Longman provincial field crops commissioner; E. L. Gray deputy minister of municipal affairs and former field crops commissioner; Dr. F. A. W. Smith, soils expert of the university; M. L. Freng, district agriculturist at Lethbridge; J. E. Palmer of the federal experimental farm at Lethbridge; L. Kool of Monarch; J. J. Straug of Claresholm and A. C. B. Grenville of Morin.

A meeting of the committee will be held shortly to organize and prepare a plan of operation.

A BIG WORK

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4 Tea Plates	25c
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1 Large Linen Writing Pad and 1 Bundle of Envelopes	25c
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Mending Wool, 6 Skeins for	25c
Blue Tape, 2 for	25c
Silk Spools, 3 for	3 for 25c
Sewing Thread, 4 for	25c
Neckties, 2 for	25c
Gingham, 2 yards	25c
Coffee, fresh ground	25c
Tomatoes, 2 for	25c
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MEMORIAL HALL—Manager
J. FAYSON, Asst. Manager
G. KEMBLING, Sec-Treas

The Memorial Committee have decided in view of the prevailing circumstances to make a reduction on the rental charges for the Memorial Hall for this year and the following rates are now in force.

All other charges are unchanged.
Main Hall for Meetings and
Dances \$15.00
Main Hall for Dance \$20.00
Main Hall and Dining Room for
Casseroles, etc \$20.00
Main Hall and Dining Room for
Dances \$25.00

The money for the Dining Room will remain as formerly, viz:
Meetings \$4.00
Card Parties, Dinners, etc. with use of
Kitchen \$7.50

Heavy aluminum frying pans or griddles will clean up most neatly by placing them over a hot flame. Grease or burns and the worst stains will come off and the pans will clean up brightly.

Risky, soiled leather on furniture may be best cleaned by rubbing with a piece of cheesecloth moistened with banana oil and following it up with a clean soft cloth.

When roasting lamb or beef, shake a pinch of cinnamon on the bottom of the oven before putting the meat in and allow it to remain while the meat is cooking. You avoid the heavy odor of the oven usually associated with cooking either of these meats.

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SCHOOLS OF AGRICULTURE

One of the best records of attendance in the history of the two schools of agriculture at Oids and Vermillion is being experienced this term. At Vermillion 170 students are in attendance while at Oids 146 are attending, a total of 316 in the two schools.

IN MEMORIAM

Entered into rest, daylight on January 25th, 1934. Mary Elizabeth Barrett.
Our hearts are sore,
Our spirits crushed,
Or all His Children
God loved her best.
Inserted by Father and Son and the rest.

Town of Strathmore, Alberta

NOTICE OF NOMINATION MEETING 1935

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the Town of Strathmore will be held at the Town Hall on Monday, the 18th day of February, 1935, from ELEVEN o'clock in the forenoon until TWELVE o'clock noon, for the purpose of Nominating Candidates for the Office of Councillor and for the Office of Mayor and School Trustees for the next ensuing two years.

Given under my hand at Strathmore this 26th day of January, 1935
W. E. SPRINGTHORPE,
Returning Officer

MODEL OILS LIMITED

DIVIDEND NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a dividend of three cents per share has been declared to shareholders of the Company of record as such on the books of the Company at the close of business on Sunday, February 16, 1935, and that the dividend will be payable on or after the 11th day of March, 1935.

NOTHING CHECKS WILL BE MAILED FROM THE OFFICE OF THE COMPANY ON OR AFTER THE 11th DAY OF MARCH, 1935.

The Registrar of Transfers will be closed from the close of business on the 16th day of February, 1935 until the opening of business on Tuesday, March 12, 1935.

By Order of the Board,
T. W. MCKEE,
Secretary-Treasurer

Transfer charge is 35c for each new certificate. If certificates are to be mailed, add 15c for postage. Changes of address should be sent to the Company's office in Calgary, on or before the 16th of February, 1935.

MAKING FOR AN IMPROVED AGRICULTURE

Hon. F. S. Grisdale, Minister of Agriculture—"The Junior Farm Clubs of Alberta have grown rapidly in both numbers and effectiveness during the past few years, particularly during 1934. We have now some 3,000 farm boys and girls engaged in this work in all parts of the province. It has been the experience of the provincial department of agriculture that wherever a Junior farm club has been active for a number of years, there has been a marked improvement in the type of agriculture practiced, particularly with respect to quality of product. The clubs are therefore performing a most improved service in agriculture. They are a vital force assisting in the introduction of the most approved policies with respect to farming practices."

"Lend me a dime for my car fare home old chap."

"No sorry, but all I've got in the world is a half dollar."

"Fine. Ill take a taxi then."

"When water becomes less," said the professor, "What is the greatest change that takes place?"

The price rise.

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70c.

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February 8-9

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Low fares from other

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LOST—Brown Leather pocket book containing some money on the Strathmore Streets, Wednesday. Purse has name and address of owner. Finder please return to Standard Office and receive reward.
Fred Taylor.

ALBERTA SEED FAIR

Alberta's provincial seed fair will be held February 12 to 16 in Edmonton, and the provincial seed growers association will hold its annual meeting at the same time. The prize list for the seed fair this year has been divided into three sections, the first for certified or registered seed, the second for commercial seed, and the third for exhibits from the junior grain clubs. Entries for the seed fair close February 11.

BRITISH POLITICS

The British Parliament is again in Session in what is said will be the most important and possibly the most stirring session for many years.

The editor of a country newspaper retired with a fortune. When asked the secret of his success, he replied "I attribute my ability to retire with a \$100,000 bank balance, after 20 yrs in the country newspaper field, to close application to duty, pursuing a policy of strict honesty, always practicing rigorous rules of economy, and to the recent death of my uncle, who left me \$25,000."

Admiral one of George Bernard Shaw's objects of a young lady called exclaimed "Oh isn't it nice!" "Oh," say nice," retorted L. M. R. "It's a nasty word."

"Don't say nasty, retorted the caller "It's not a nice word."

WESTERN DEPT. STORE

Phone 28 Strathmore, Alta. Phone 28

S. LIBIN, Manager

SUGAR—

10 lbs 65c
100 lbs \$6.25

Brown Sugar—
6 lb pkg 45c
10 lbs 65c

Iceing Sugar—
1 lb 10c
5 lbs 40c

NABOB BRAND

COFFEE

1 lb 39c
1 lb Jar 45c

TOMATOES—

2 large tins 25c
6 tins 65c

JAM—

Empress Plum, 4 lb tin 40c
Strawberry, Empress, 4 lb tin 55c

Graham WAFFERS—
1 lb pkg 15c

RAISINS—

Seedless 2 lbs 28c
4 lbs 55c
10 lbs \$1.25

PRUNES—

4 lb pkg 37c

PEACHES—

2 lbs 29c



1 lb tin 25c
3 lb tin 69c

PLUMS—

Size 2 tin 23c
2 tins 23c
6 tins 65c

RASPBERRIES—

Size 2 tin, Tin, each 23c

Peanut BUTTER—

Squirrel, Size 1 tin 15c

BEANS—

Ontario, 5 lbs 25c

CHEESE—

Ontario, 1 lb 20c
5 lb lot 19c
Burns' Golden Loaf, Cheese 1 lb pkg 25c

BAKING POWDER

Magie, 12 oz tin 30c
2 1/2 tin 90c

SALT—

Table, 7 lbs 20c
50 lbs \$1.25

COARSE—

50 lbs 75c
100 lbs \$1.40

Block, plain 90c

Idolized Block, Each \$1.00

VINEGAR—

White or Brown, Pint bottle 10c

PEANUTS—

Fresh Roasted, 1 lb 10c
3 lbs 29c

GREEN CUT BEANS—

2 tins 25c

CATSUP—

Heinz, Large bottle 20c
Aylmer, bottle 17c

TEA—

Nabob, 1 lb pkg 45c

COCOA—

Cowan's 1 lb tin 25c

SODAS—

Pantry size reg 30c
Special 25c

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

APPLES—

Romes or Wagners 6 lbs for 25c
Box \$1.50

Delicious, Fancy Wrapped, Box \$1.95

ORANGES—

Dozen 35c
3 Dozen \$1.00

HEAD LETTUCE—

Large size, ea. 13c
2 for 25c

TOMATOES—

Field, lb 18c

HIRTLE'S THEATRE

SHOWING THIS WEEK—

Friday and Saturday

February 1st and 2nd.

Zane Grey's

WAGON WHEELS

featuring Randolph Scott

Friday 8 p.m.

Saturday, 3, 7:30 and 9 p.m.

NEWS AND COMEDY

W. H. B. Sharp, Manager

Church Notes

ST MICHAEL'S AND ALL ANGELS CHURCH

3rd February Epiphany IV
10 am Sunday School
11 am Holy Communion, Candle Light.

7:30 pm Evensong, Church Builders of the New Testament.
Nightingale Hall Service at 8 pm
REV. T. B. WINTER

UNITED CHURCH STRATHMORE

Namaka— Services 11 a.m.
Strathmore— Sunday School and Bible Class 10:30 a.m.
Service at 7:30 p.m.
REV. E. B. BRUNDAGE

SACRED HEART CHURCH

(During Winter Months)
STRATHMORE
High Mass and Sermon every Sunday at 10:30 excepting first Sunday of the month when Low Mass will be at 10 a.m.

CARLELAND

First Sunday of the month, Mass and Sermon at 11 a.m.
Rev. Father Coonan, Pastor

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